

CITY OF HICKORY
PPE HAZARD ASSESSMENT

Purpose: *In order to provide an injury-free work environment, the City of Hickory has assessed each department to determine if hazards are present or likely to be present, which necessitate the use of personal protective equipment (PPE).*

Reference: 29 CFR 1910.132(1)&(2)

Department: Building Services

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Job Title(s): Building Maintenance Supervisor, Senior Electrician, Electrician, Construction and Maintenance Workers

Task	Hazard	PPE Required
Handling, transporting and/or dispensing chemicals, i.e., Solvents, contact cleaners, lubricants, oil, grease, PVC conduit glue	Chemical Exposure Splash into the face and eyes Chemical burns	Face Shield Safety Glasses Gloves
Entering areas with high noise levels, i.e., the airport, around generators, blower room, etc.	High noise levels	Hearing protection
Using the grinder, drill press and sanding in the shop	Flying particles in the eye	Eye Protection Face shield
Work in the bucket truck to reach heights	Fall	Fall protection
Working in/around the basins and aerators at the WWTP	Drowning	Life vests